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AN ULTIMATUM FROM FATHER.

Grassyside, Nov. 15.

My Dear Boy: Having heard nothing from you since you landed at Bludangoah University, and seeing by the papers that the college openings are attended with extra heavy casualties this year, your mother and I are somewhat anxious about you. I read in the papers that you had a rush, and that after it was over the ambulances carried off 10 earnest students, while the janitor swept up a bushel of ears and about four pints of country-bred freckles. You are so freckled that mother cried and seemed to think you must have been in the slaughter. I must say I am disappointed if this is the case. A freckle may not be a thing of beauty, but in costs money just the same. Your father's good cornmeal and bacon are in that job of kalsomining, my son, and to see four pints of your honest freckles scattered round over a college campus looks to mother and me like just so many good dollars thrown away. The paper says the rush was a joyous little affair, and that it is feared a number of the participants may survive. I trust this fear may be realized, and yet I must say your mother and I do not feel entirely satisfied with the outlook. If college life is going to mash the daylights out of you we fell that the job ought to be thorough and not a half-and-half performance. I sent a whole boy to a seat of learning, and I don't want a hashed outfit back from the hospital. I read further that "the rush was fast and furious, and that arterial blood streamed on every side. The noble athletes waded through seas incarnadine. Ruddy rivulets poured down the clubhouse steps. Bone crunched bone, sinew strained at sinew, muscles stretched to the snapping point and elbow digs in upturned faces were abundant. Well-directed kicks landed judiciously in stomach pits. Hamlike fists crashed through cartilage and osseous wall-like battering-rams." Your mother sniffled while she read this. She said it almost made her wish she hadn't worn her black bonnet for seven years and put the price of two new bonnets a year away for your education. But you mustn't mind your mother's tears. I read the story with great interest. It made your father's rheumatiz crack. I could almost see my big, freckle-faced boy ramming back and forth in his first college exercise. Now I saw him get a crack in the pit of the stomach, and next I saw a ham-fist slice off a pint of those freckles. I swow! it almost made your pa young again. Unbeknownst to your mother I went out in the orchard and got a barrel stave, and every time, in my mind's eye, I saw my boy come to the surface I worked the barrel-stave. It was glorious fun. When I wore out one tree I took another. Now, my boy, if you are in the hospital come right out and say so, and mother and me will come down with a shutter and lug you home. Don't fear the barrel-stave—it can wait. As I said before, I want your education to be finished. I want the college to send you home either whole or pulverized. I want you to come back spick and span, marked "unbroken package," but if they are going to throw you round and crumble you, then I want you shipped in strong bagging and marked plainly "bonedust, ready for the drill." No cripples in mine. One thing or the other is the ultimatum from your father.—[Judge.

Sanguinary Scenes in Moscow.

Still unable to speak of or even think about the sight he had been forced to witness without experiencing a shudder of horror, John Hoar, a jockey, who for two years had been riding for Prince Louborinski in Moscow, St. Petersburg and Warsaw, on arriving in New York yesterday on the steamship Friedrich der Grosse, of the North German Lloyd line, told of a scene of bloodshed and Cossack atrocities which had taken place while he was in Moscow that had appalled him. "I saw a peaceful street turned into a scene of carnage and murder within 15 minutes," he said. "It was something for which I was not prepared, and I was so affected that I fainted at the sight. I saw men, women, and children mowed down as if by a giant scythe, the innocent among the guilty, until the gutters ran red with a crimson stream. This was near the railroad station in Moscow. I had been waiting for my train and was standing outside the waiting-room gazing down the main street. Everything was quiet and peaceful, when suddenly I heard strains of music and shouts. A parade, in which at least 3,000 men were marching, turned the corner and advanced toward the main square. I afterward learned they were revolutionists.

A Creeping Death.

Blood poison creeps up towards the heart, causing death. J. E. Stearns, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that a friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning. Bucklen's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound, and save his life. Best in the world for burns and sores, 25c. at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store.

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Dear Mrs. Pinkham:

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Mrs. Pinkham advises sick women free. Address, Lynn, Mass.

"Some of the men grabbed spectators looking on from the sidewalk and tried to force them into the parade. Some policemen interfered, and the first thing I knew there had been several shots fired. Three men were lying dead in the street, one of them being a policeman. An instant later a party of Cossacks galloped into the street, having been attracted by the noise of firing. They had their swords, fearful looking weapons, with long, flashing blades, waving in the air, and they went upon the crowd full force without attempting to draw rein.

"I thought the crowds would draw back or disperse, but not a man budged. In fact, more shots were fired and two Cossacks fell from their horses to be pounced upon by infuriated men and literally torn to pieces. The other Cossacks, however, began slashing and sweeping their swords around indiscriminately. I saw sights which I cannot describe. It was when I saw a woman with a babe in her arms trying to run away, only to be slaughtered by a Cossack, who drove his sword through her back, that I fainted and was carried to the train by my friends. I wouldn't go back to Russia for all the money in the the world. The general feeling there is that the Czar will be deposed, and I think that will be the end of it."

Herb W. Edwards Injured.

Herb W. Edwards, of Des Moines, Iowa, got a fall on an icy walk last winter, spraining his wrist and bruising his knees. "The next day," he says, "they were so sore and stiff I was afraid I would have to stay in bed, but I rubbed them well with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and after a few applications all soreness had disappeared. I feel that this bottle of Pain Balm saved me several days' time, to say nothing of the suffering." This liniment is for sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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1101 Prince street, 7 rooms..... 15 00

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303 Cameron street, 6 rooms..... 15 00

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One of those desirable three-story bricks, eight rooms, all modern improvements, on south Pitt street, opposite St. Paul's Church.

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Several lots on King street, within close proximity to new Union Station.

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Special Sale of Cloaks AND Furs,

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Monday, Nov. 27.

Our buyer has been in New York the past week scanning the market for Cloaks and Furs. Her success was phenomenal. Over $1,000 worth of samples of Cloaks and Furs secured at 1-3 off regular prices. The lots arrived too late to enumerate or give a descriptive list in this advertisement, but they will be on sale this week at prices that will prove a very interesting sale.

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DRY GOODS.

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Fine Table Linen for Thanksgiving

While in New York last week we made a purchase of fine Table Linen from one of the most reliable importers at greatly reduced prices. These linens are now on sale at unusually low prices:

Fine Table Linen, 57 inches wide, yard .. 25c
Fine Table Linen, 72 inches wide, yard... 50c
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Fine Table Linen, 72 inches wide, yard $1.00
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Linen Dinner Napkins.

We are showing a pretty new line of Linen Dinner Napkins, many of them to match the Table Damask.

New Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen..... 89c
New Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen..... $1.00
New Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen..... $1.25
New Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen..... $1.50
New Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen..... $2.00
New Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen..... $2.50
New Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen..... $3.00
New Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen..... $3 75
New Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen..... $5.00

White Fringed Napkins.

New White Fringed Napkins, dozen...
New White Fringed Napkins, dozen... $1.00
New White Fringed Napkins, dozen... $1.50

New Japanese China.

We are showing our new importation of fancy Japanese China articles for the holiday trade, many one of a kind articles, which cannot be duplicated. Let us show them to you now when the stock is full and complete. Any article will be reserved for future delivery.

The table used in our window display of linens was kindly loaned by M. Ruben & Sons.

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Notice to State Taxpayers.

I am now prepared to receive the State Taxes for the year 1905. The attention of taxpayers is respectfully called to the importance of paying the same prior to December 1, 1905; as on that date a penalty of five per cent. will be added to all unpaid bills, and their collection enforced as required by law.

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AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER

FRIDAY EVENING, DEC. 1, 1905.

IN THE manual of the U. S. Naval Academy issued in 1887 a penalty was provided for "striking, assaulting, using provoking words or threatening gestures to any one in the naval service, or any one in the academy." This was omitted in the manual for 1901, which only contained a general provision against "disorderly conduct." There has been an increase since 1901 of fighting among the midshipmen, which involves striking and assaulting, and there seems to have been an increase in the use of provoking words and threatening gestures, which are the causes of the fights. It is a reasonable interference, says the Philadelphia Record, that the change in the manual has encouraged offensive conduct and the consequent resort to the prize ring.

REPRESENTATIVE LACEY, of Iowa, who was one of the committee who made the investigation on hazing at West Point and, incidentally, at Annapolis, said on Wednesday after a conference with the President, that he did not believe it necessary for Congress to make an inquiry into the so-called "code" supposed to exist among the cadets at the Naval Academy. "Fist fights between cadets at the academies," said Mr. Lacey, "can be prevented without further investigation. There is ample authority in existing law and regulations to put a stop to them." This is all true but what is wanted is a law to punish the officers who permit such fights to occur at the academies.

THE NEW public printer, Mr. Stillings, has disapproved the "symposium business" or money-lending associations in the printery, and under no circumstances will the symposiums be again permitted to flourish there. Mr. Stillings proposes to force the payment of existing "symposium" debts and legitimate debts of every kind. He very naturally believes that no man or woman can do a fair day's work if harassed with debts, and that borrowers of money at two per cent. per week cannot hold up long. It has been made public that several managers of money-lending concerns have mismanaged affairs, and their friends, families and stockholders made to suffer.

THE 250th anniversary of the landing of Israelites on this continent was celebrated in most of the principal cities of the United States yesterday. Both Jew and Gentile participated, affording a marked contrast to conditions in some other countries where Semitic hatred, inborn, has flourished for nearly twenty centuries. In the United States there is neither Jew nor Greek, Barbarian, Scythian, bond or free, but all are equally respected so long as they prove good and quiet citizens. The Hebrews have ever shown themselves to be such.

THE Association of Women Principals of Public Schools of New York city has issued a circular letter, declaring that our public schools are "huge barracks, mere parodies on the spirit of the true school, where the individual child is a mere number, where no one has time for human sympathy and kindly personal influence, and where the preparation of statistics and reports, and not the upholding of character, has become the chief duty of the principal." And there is much truth in what these women have set forth in their letter.

FATHER GAPON, who is now in hiding in St. Petersburg, now thinks that armed rebellion is a mistake, and that socialistic ideals should take a more gradual and educational course. Father Gapon is not the first agitator to realize that he has made a mistake when he set revolutionary forces in action, and then finds that he cannot control the direction of the flames.

WHILE the Sultan of Turkey may not yield as the result of the occupation of Mitylene, the plans for the next step by the powers have not been arranged and it is said that if the demonstration is not successful war may be provoked between Turkey and Bulgaria. What may follow is conjectural.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 1.

Press, public and politicians are pretty well agreed as to what constitutes the most important problem which the 59th Congress, beginning next Monday will have to solve. Rate legislation is the one overshadowing issue, and an issue clearly defined. The President insists that the power to fix a maximum rate, to take effect within a reasonable time, must be conferred on some administrative body; his opponents, led by Senator Foraker, are insistant that any additional safeguards to those already provided by law be vested in the courts. Around these propositions the battle will be fought, and as yet victory is too remote to permit of practical prediction. It may be said, however, that the House will readily acquiesce in the Roosevelt programme, whatever that may be. The real struggle will come in the Senate, and although the Senate is a stubborn body, and has been known to stand out against the President's wishes before this, yet it realizes the tremendous hold which the President has on the people and is slow therefore to move openly and aggressively against him. Interest in the rate question will not reach the proverbial "fever heat" until later in the session, but there will be no lack of interest in the preliminary bouts. The Panama canal will probably take the boards early in the session and engage public attention from the first day until long after the holidays. The spirit of opposition will manifest itself in the demand for an investigation of canal affairs generally, even in a demand for the abolition of the canal commission. Next in interest to these topics comes the subject of insurance. Senator Dryden will reintroduce his bill looking to governmental control of the insurance business. But his measure is looked upon with distrust. Tariff revision is the topic which was at one time expected to furnish most of the fireworks of the session. But the ardor of the revisionists has to some extent been dampened. The fact that President Roosevelt made it a star of lesser magnitude has come as a damper to their aspirations to make it the real issue of the session. The standpatters will submit to neither tariff revision nor to revenue raising. The great supply measures of last session carried a total of $820,184,634. That was $39,000,000 more than the appropriations for the preceding year. This year is to see no increase in appropriations over those of the year gone by. The standpatter's hopes now rests on the agitation of the reciprocity question, particularly reciprocity with Germany, in which the stand-patters again discern a covert attack on the tariff walls. Statehood questions will be again brought forward and the four territories will continue to clamor for admission. The State will have the Smoot case to haunt it and as Smoot has announced that he will refuse to favor his collegues by resigning his seat, the committee on privileges and elections will be compelled in the end to announce some sort of a verdict. A monster petition, signed by women to the number of a million, for the early days of the session will not make the task of that commmittee any more pleasant in the future than it has been in the past. The administration will insist on action on the part of the Senate and the matter of the treaty with Santo Domingo, by which the United States assumes charge of its customs affairs and its fiscal matters generally, and the treaty with Cuba, ceding to that republic all control over the Isle of Pines. Democrats will again sound the demand for investigation galore—investigations of the Agriculture Department, the government printing office, weather bureau, geological survey, and of the monster graft in general. Senator Gallinger and General Grosvenor will renew the agitation for some sort of a ship subsidy bill. Efforts will continue to secure some change of the inauguration date, so that it will be brought from blustry March to balmier weather. The House judiciary committee will once again report a bill providing for a repeal of the bankruptcy act. Perry Belmont, through Bourke Cockran of New York, will endeavor to prevail on Congress to pass an act requiring campaign committees to reveal the sources of campaign contributions. Alaska will ask for a delegate in Congress. The immigration and naturalization question will be discussed from every view-point. The demand for reduced southern representation in Congress will be renewed. A consul civil service bill will again be before the House. So will measures looking to a more dignified treatment of American ambassadors and Ministers abroad, whose salaries are in many cases not sufficient to maintain a respectable establishment. There will be a demand for more lenient treatment of Chinese coming to this country and a howl of protest by Pacific coast members and labor unions, when this question is raised.

Col. Colton, the American official nominated by the United States at the request of the Santo Domingan government to take charge of the collection of the customs revenues of that republic, is here on leave of absence having arrived yesterday. Col. Colton says that there is no doubt that the pending treaty between the United States and Santo Domingo will be ratified by the Dominican Congress as soon as it has been favorably acted upon by the Senate of this country. He denied that it was true as has been stated, that a majority of the people of the republic was opposed to the ratification of the convention, which, if finally put into operation, would place the fiscal affairs of Santo Domingo under the control of the United States. Col. Colton says that the republic's internal condition is entirely satisfactory. "The only revolutions in Santo Domingo are those which are manufactured in this country," said he. "We never hear of them down there. The country is absolutely quiet."

The President and his family will return from his farm in Albemarle county, Va., tonight. The President will tomorrow go to Princeton to see the army and navy football game.

Congressman Hay, of Virginia, opposes the blind following by southern democrats of President Roosevelt.

By working on Thanksgiving Day, the appraisers at the Georgetown custom house completed the appraisment of Miss Roosevelt's presents given her during her trip in the Orient. When the money to pay the duty is paid, which has not yet been done, the presents will again be Miss Roosevelt's. Customs officials are guarding zealously the appraised and assessed duty that they may not become public. Although the collector of customs at the Georgetown office, where Miss Roosevelt's presents are now in storage, will not divulge the value or the exact character of the presents that were brought under their official notice, they intimate that the stories that have been printed have for the most part greatly exaggerated their worth. It is hinted that if the exact value of the goods is made public at the White House it will prove a surprise on account of the very small figures that will comprise the total. A large part of the goods, it is said, is made up of bead, shell and basket work, specimens of native manufacture, which were forced upon Miss Roosevelt by her various hosts during her travels. Much of the "truck," for it is nothing less, will probably be given away by the owner or sent to the National Museum, and her friends argue that it is an injustice to compel her to pay duty on such a quantity of stuff that she neither wanted nor selected. The President, it is understood, insisted upon the appraisers making a more than ordinarily strict appraisement.

Despondent because a Philadelphia widow would not marry him, Marion J. Ozman committed suicide at 508 Twelfth street northwest, yesterday, by swallowing carbolic acid. He died before reaching the Emergency Hospital. Ozman disappeared for a week last September and it was thought at the time he had drowned himself.

Governor-elect Swanson, of Virginia, and Mrs. Swanson reached Washington last night, and took apartments at the New Willard. Mr. Swanson, who is one of the most popular public men of the day, held an informal levee in the lobby of the hotel surrounded by friends who extended warm congratulations on the attainment of his recent high honors. He does not assume the gubernatorial office until February 1, and will continue to serve in the House of Representatives until the latter part of January. His inauguration as governor, it is said, will be witnessed by a large number of his fellow members of Congress. It is also said that both Mr. Maynard and Mr. Jones wish to succeed him on the House committee on ways and means.

The worst has been said of Russia. In the Daily Consular reports is printed what is termed expert evidence from Germany to the effect that there is a painful absence of romantic spots in Russia. So noticeable is this, together with the long winters, that automobiling is seldom indulged in in the country. The "expert evidence" continues to show that the "people and public officials do not favor this method of getting over the ground," and finally condemns them all as "poor sportsmen," with little skill in handling complicated machinery.

A delegation of non-partizan business men of Newport News called on Senator Martin yesterday for the purpose of ascertaining whether it were possible to prevent the reappointment or the confirmation of Collector J. E. B. Stuart, of Newport News. Mr. Stuart is having a hard time. He was found to be unqualified for U. S. Marshal and was "exchanged" to collector of Newport News and now it seems he is not wanted there.

It is said here that the President has decided to appoint Mrs Hoge, widow of Col. J. Hampton Hoge, to the postmastership of Blacksburg. The appointment has been held up for more than a year. Representative Slemp has been fighting for the reappointment of Postmaster Ellett, but Mr. Slemp has not much of a "pull" at the White House since the last election in Virginia.

It is said that Sereno E. Payne, of New York, will not be the leader on the floor of the House this winter. He will be deposed and the leadership given to the man who will be appointed chairman of the appropriations committee.

Mrs. Cora Alexander, aged 28, was fatally burned by a lamp explosion at her home in Altoona, Pa., last night. After donning her night dress she attempted to blow out the lamp and the flame went into the bowl. Her husband was badly burned while trying to extinguish the blaze.

News of the Day.

Order is fully restored in Crisfield, Md., after the exciting oyster trials of Wednesday. The sheriff is making an investigation and the result will be laid before the grand jury Monday next.

Officers and passengers of the steamer Dakota arrived at Seattle tell a story of the attempt to murder the Japenese peace delegates and destroy the treaty upon the arrival of the latter at Yokohama.

Two men, a woman, two cows, five dogs and a horse were bitten and several chickens killed by a bulldog in Bethany, Connecticut, yesterday. The animal, snarling and snapping at every living object in its path, ran up and down the streets for half an hour before it was killed.

The Los Angeles health officers Wednesday confiscated shipments of Thanksgiving cold storage poultry from the eastern markets valued at $5,000. The bad condition of many of the shipments was due, it is stated, to the poor refrigerating of cars. The San Francisco health board condemned 4,000 pounds of eastern turkeys.

The warehouse of the Standard Oil Company at Armourdale, Kan., was destroyed by fire yesterday causing a loss of $175,000. Ten thousand gallons of kerosene and gasoline oil and large quantities of oil products stored in the building were consumed. An explosion of the oils tore down the walls, making the destruction complete.

Capt. Alga P. Berry, ordered dismissed from the army on conviction of charges of unbecoming conduct, committed suicide yesterday at Vancouver Barracks, Washington. Capt. Berry's specific offense was committed on the transport Buford, en route from Manila to San Francisco, when he entered, so it was charged, the stateroom of a brother officer's wife late at night, after an evening of carousal. The insulted woman, who had retired, cried for help, and Berry was caught. Capt. Berry's wife is a daughter of Brig. Gen. A. H. Bainbridge, retired. He left a note leaving all his property to his wife and mother.

Russia's Troubles.

The most alarming indication of the spread of disaffection in the army, extending even to regiments near the person of the Emperor, was given in the arrest at Tsarskoe Selo yesterday of a number of soldiers belonging to the Yellow Cuirassiers of the Guard, the Hussars of the Guard and the Lifeguard Riflemen for presenting a series of petitions, including one against the use of troops for police purposes. The regiment in question are those which have been specially selected by General Trepoff to guard the Emperor and his family. They have been counted upon as being loyal to the last, ready even to be torn to pieces in defense of His Majesty, like the Swiss Guards of Louis XVI. Their arrest, however, although not for open sedition, shows how the leaven of discontent is working even within the precints of the imperial park at Tsarskoe-Selo, The incident gave rise to most alarming rumors in St. Petersburg, including one to the effect that the Emperor actually had been attacked and that a grand duke had been wounded while defending him; but later it was stated by a member of the imperial entourage at Tsarskoe-Selo that this is absolutely untrue.

All the mutineers at Sebastopol have not surrendered. In the battle at Sebastopol it is reported 5,000 were killed or wounded. Leaders of the mutineers have been shot and two battleships blown up. The strike of the telegraphers has paralyzed the government and put it out of touch with the revolutionary centers.

Public confidence in Premier Witte is said to be fast waning and a return to autocracy, with the result of even worse conditions, is predicted.

The strike of the postal employees is spreading and further cutting off communications.

The whole of Russian Poland is aflame with the revolutionary spirit.

100,000 workmen are locked out at St Petersburg.

Football.

The following are the results of some of the football games played yesterday:

At Washington—Washington and Lee, 17; George Washington, 0.

At Washington—Carlisle, 72; Georgetown, 0.

At Washington—Shaw University, of Raleigh, N. C., 6; Howard University, 5.

At Richmond—Virginia Polytechnic Institute, 34; Virginia Military Institute, 0.

At Norfolk—North Carolina University, 17; University of Virginia, 0.

Virginia News.

Mr. Bernadott Schmitt, a prominent druggist and the oldest business man of Woodstock, died yesterday of the infirmities of old age. He was 74 years old.

Rev. Robb White, of Stanardsville, has declined the call recently extended him to become rector of St. James' Church, north Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Harry Schmel and others, of Hampton, applied to the State Board of Fisheries yesterday for the assignment of certain grounds in the bay off Ocean View and near Lynn Haven as public crabbing grounds.

Benjamin Franklin Rinker, a farmer, of Warren county, and Miss Minnie Virginia Ogden, daughter of Mrs. Mary Ann Ogden and of the late John T. Ogden, of Middletown, Frederick county, were married in the parlor of the Hotel Evans, Winchester, on Wednesday night.

H. A. Thompson, who has been cashier of the People's National Bank of Leesburg since its organization, in 1889, has tendered his resignation to the board of directors, to take effect on January 1. His resignation was accepted by the board. Mr. Thompson's reason for resigning is impaired health.

Capt. Thomas B. Harris, of Culpeper, died yesterday in the eightieth year of his age. He was a captain in the famous Forty-ninth Virginia Regiment, commanded by "Extra Billy" Smith, of Virginia, and one of the oldest Confederate veterans in that section of the State. He was also a prominent Mason.

The second day of the convention of the Educational Co-operative Commission of Virginia yesterday at Lynchburg was marked by addresses by some of the best-known educators of the State. Among the speakers were Professor Dabney, of Scottsburg; Professor Stone, of the University of Virginia, and Rev. J. C. Hicks, of Danville.

George Totten, colored, convicted of murder by a Wythe country jury, has had his sentence commuted by the Governor to life imprisonment. The crime of which Totten was convicted was committed on November 9, in the early morning, in Max Meadows, and a jury quickly sentenced him to die upon the gallows. In the last year or so there have been 18 homicides in Wythe county.

The Meriwether Case.

The arguments for the defense and prosecution in the case of Midshipman Meriwether, who is being tried for manslaughter and other charges growing out of the death of Midshipman Branch on November 5, after a fist fight, were made at Annapolis yesterday and the case closed as far as public knowledge of the action of the court is concerned. The day was one of charges and counter-charges.

A direct charge of withholding testimony was made by Judge Advocate Marix against Midshipman Fitch, the referee in the fatal fist fight between Meriwether and Branch.

Judge Advocate Marix made the charge in his argument for the prosecution, alleging that on direct testimony Fitch had failed to tell about the falls which occurred in the fight, and which are claimed by the defense to have resulted in Branch's death. On the second trip to the stand Judge Advocate Marix said the story of falls had been drawn from Fitch, who told his story unwillingly. The officer said he would impeach the midshipman and his testimony as soon as the present trial was ended.

Council for both sides started their arguments yesterday. Meriwether's lawyers wanted to close the case and submit it without argument, but to this the prosecution objected.

Attorney James M. Munroe opened for Meriwether, saying that the cadet made no defense to the charge of disorder, being willing to stand punishment for it, although he had acted only on the tradition of the academy. He alleged that the injury which resulted in Branch's death was caused by the falls on the floor, and not by fist blows, and that, therefore, Meriwether had no criminal connection with the case.

"So far as the charge of manslaughter is concerned," said Mr. Munroe, "we will rest the case there. If Meriwether be convicted of anything further than disorder, he will be made a vicarious sacrifice for a system and for the sins of generations, if they be sins."

Lieutenant Commander Robinson, also pleading for Meriwether, said that the traditions of the academy and the position of the academy authorities toward fighting were responsible for the entire affair.

Judge Advocate Marix, for the prosecution, called attention to the fact that but one out of six doctors who had testified voiced the opinion that death had resulted from the falls to the floor. He reviewed the case, and said that without doubt Meriwether was guilty of involuntary manslaughter.

The case was given to the court at the end of the session. Its verdict, sealed, will be forwarded to the Secretary of the Navy for review and publication.

Except for the announcement of the verdict, after it shall have been passed upon by the Secretary of the Navy, the courtmartial, as far as the public is concerned, is at an end.

Fatal Accident to Lineman.

J. G. Carlisle, of Berryville, Clarke county, a lineman for the Southern Bell Telephone Company, who has been at work on the plant in Lynchburg, lost his life yesterday in a distressing accident. Carlisle was at work on an aerial cable yesterday morning about 9 o'clock. While pushing himself on a wire cable from one pole to another 30 feet above the street he touched a high current electric power wire with one of his feet. Instantly he was precipitated head first to the ground. In the descent he turned and struck the ground on his left hip, breaking it, and receiving internal injuries, as well as being horribly burned on his feet and both hands. He was taken to the City Hospital, where two physicians did all that was possible for him, but he expired about 1 o'clock. The young man was about 20 years old and he had been with the Bell Company for two years.

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Today's Telegraphic News

Rumored Attempted Assassination of the Czar.

Berlin, Dec. 1.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Vossische Zeitung wires his paper here that one of the grand dukes of the imperial family attempted to assassinate the Czar, intending to sacrifice Nicholas rather than tolerate the introduction of a constitutional government. According to the dispatch the Czar was wounded in the hand. Which of the Grand Dukes made the attempt on the Emperor's life, the dispatches do not say, but it is believed that it was the Grand Duke Vladimir. An attempt to assassinate the Czar has long been expected since the reactionary court party considers it a patriotic duty to murder the Czar rather than accept reforms which they believe would ruin Russia.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 1.—Fears that a great financial crash is overtaking Russia, are increasing, and financiers do not know how to stop the continual drain which has been proceeding for the past weeks on the country's money. There is no doubt that the banks are getting dangerously near the bottom of their ready money supply, though every effort is being made to conceal the true state of affairs. Practically nobody is willing to buy government bonds and everybody holding them are anxious to sell. The first definite declaration that the government is being hampered in its financial obligations comes today in the form of an intimation to the numerous government officials that they will not be given the extreme amount of money due them as Christmas bonus. The possibility of the government having new paper money not backed by a gold reserve, is being seriously discussed.

London, Dec. 1.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from St. Petersburg says that the government intends to mobilize all the Cossacks, numbering 450,000.

Manchester, Eng., Dec. 1.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Guardian says that a report has been received there from a trustworthy source that Russia's Manchurian army is now entirely beyond control of the officers and that a fierce mutiny has broken out.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 1.—The Czar today signed the manifesto which abolishes martial law in Poland. The strike has now affected the postal facilities here in St. Petersburg, and the delivery of letters was stopped today.

Shanghai, Dec. 1.—The news received here from Vladivostok is of the most alarming character, and it is declared that not only in that city, but also in Upper Manchuria, the Russian troops are on the verge of mutiny.

At Vladivostok, the soldiers have notified their officers that unless they are informed within five days when they are to be moved and where they are to be sent, they will destroy the town.

The officers are making no attempts to regain control of their men as they know the first step this way will be the signal for a general massacre

Accident to a Flyer.

Mauch Chunk, Pa., Dec. 1st. Two persons were killed and sixteen or more injured, in the wrecking of the New York flyer, of the Jersey Central Railroad last night. Spreading of the rails due, it is thought, to contraction resulting from the cold weather, is supposed to have caused the accident. The locomotive and two forward cars left the rails, and tearing themselves from the Pullman and remaining in almost a perfect line without breaking a coupling pin, the locomotive, combination baggage car, and a day coach rolled a distance of at least sixteen feet to the edge of the river bank, and then plunged into the icy water. There was tremendous roar as the locomotive struck the water. The boiler, becoming suddenly immersed, gave itself up into clouds of steam. Some of the victims were scalded by reason of this, but it saved the far greater horror of the wreckage catching fire. The accident happened at Stony Point, about eight o'clock last night. The train was speeding along at its usual rate of of speed, and as it reached the sharp curve at Stony Point the engine suddenly left the track, dragging with it the combination baggage car and one day coach, while the last car of the train, a Pullman sleeper, was partially pulled across the tracks, but remained standing on the bank when the other cars and engines plunged into the water. As the engine left the track it struck a telegraph pole, carrying down the wires and stopping all communication on the line. This delayed information of the wreck reaching this place, and it was 9:30 before the hospital car and the wrecking train left here. There are conjectures as to the cause of the accident. Some are of the opinion that a broken flange caused the accident, while others are of the belief that it was caused by a loosened fishplate, while the consensus of opinion places the cause to spreading of the rails.

Approaching Execution of Mrs. Rogers.

Windsor, Vt., Dec. 1.—A. E. Casworthy, one of the directors of the Vermont State prison, stated today that there is no foundation for the reports current that the execution of Mary Rogers for the murder of her husband, would mean the taking of two lives. He declared that an examination by the prison physician absolutely substantiates this fact. The Rogers woman's personal attorney, E. B. Flinn, of Springfield, Vermont, who has been given as authority for the story, said this morning that he had not authorized the publication of any such report, and that so far as he knows, there was no foundation for it. He stated that he saw no means of preventing the execution unless Governor Bell should eventually change his mind and decide to commute the sentence. All preparations for the hanging next week have been completed. Sheriff Peck will not officiate, claiming that his health is poor, and therefore he has designated his chief deputy, R. A. Shafford, to spring the trap. The work of erecting the gallows will begin next Tuesday morning.

House Blown to Atoms.

Weston, W. Va. Dec. 1.—The worst explosion in this section, occurred last night, three miles from here, when the home of Charles Douglass was blown to atoms and Douglass, his wife, and two children literally torn to pieces, and the pieces consumed by the fire which followed. The explosion was caused by a valve blowing out of a large gas pipe within a few feet of the house.

The Market.

Georgetown, Dec. 1.—Wheat 70a80.

Trial of Dr. McLeod.

Boston, Dec. 1.—The trial of Dr. Percy M. McLeod for complicity in the death of Susan Geary, the dancing girl, and the victim of the dress suit case mystery, was resumed today. Mrs. Grace Ashmead Standford, of Philadelphia, was the first witness. She continued her direct testimony. She testified that Dr. Hunt (or Roberts) lived with her mother for one year. She heard Dr. Hunt say: "When patients die I cut up their bodies."

She swore that the man who had been on the stand here previously and whom she recognized as Dr. Roberts, had used these words. Witness identified a picture of Mrs. Dean as a woman she had seen in Philadelphia at her mother's house. While Dr. Roberts, whom she knew also as Dr. Richards, lived there, when the witness called, as Dr. Roberts wife.

Charles Thomas Mason, of Philadelphia, a private detective, testified that he knew Dr. Roberts in Philadelphia, and that he bore a bad reputation for veracity.

Dr. Percy D. McLeod, the defendant, was then sworn. He said he was 36 years old, and had lived in Boston 35 years. He denied having any connection with the Tremont street office known as Dr. Mishope, and had never seen Mrs. Dean until he went to 68 Winthrop street.

He received a call to go to the Winthrop street house not knowing any one there bore, on Sept. 16. He was told over the telephone that the case was one of miscarriage. The witness described the condition of the patient, and said he told Mrs. Dean, or Dana that the girl was in a very dangerous state and must be operated on at once. The suggestion of witness Dr. Hette went up stairs to the girl's rooms and examined the patient, at the same time putting on a mask.

Witness said he (Dr. McLeod) refused to put on a mask, though Dr. Hettee wished him to. Dr. McLeod swore that he returned to his office and telephoned for Miss Griffith, the nurse, leaving Dr. Hettee in the house. He afterward returned to Winthrop street and made arrangements for the operation. He said the operation, which he described in detail, took two hours.

The British Cabinet.

London, Dec. 1.—The cabinet held a meeting today for the purpose of considering the future position of the government. The session began at noon. Rumors of every description are in circulation, but nothing definite can be ascertained anywhere. The meeting adjourned at 1:35 o'clock this afternoon. So far the result of the discussion has not been made public. There is less interest now than before in the belief that the decision of the members of the cabinet regarding an election because the public feels satisfied that an election early next year is assured and the utilization of the new up-to-date register of electors coming into force on January 1, next, suits all. At the conclusion of the cabinet meeting the rumor became current that Premier Balfour had decided to at once place his resignation in the hands of the king. Up to the present this rumor lacks confirmation.

Fight With a Bear.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Dec. 1.—Five hunters were attacked in the woods of Sullivan county Wednesday afternoon by a big black bear, and one of them, Hugh Burns, of Larksville, near here, was badly torn, scratched and squeezed, and his life was saved only by the bravery of his companions. The bear infuriated, rushed at them and caught Burns, rolling over and over with him, clawing and hugging. The guns of the other men—John Fogarty, Thomas Loftus, Henry Reidler and Peter Blaine—were loaded with bird shot only, but every now and then by jamming the muzzles against the bear's body they were able to get in a safe shot without injuring their companion. It required ten shots to kill the bear. Burns was carried out of the woods and brought home today. The bear weighed 428 pounds, and is the largest killed in this section this season.

Foundering of a Barge.

Boston, Dec. 1.—The barge Delewanna, in tow of the tugboat Scranton, foundered off Minot's Light last night, and Captain Geo. B. Munsey, his wife, the engineer and cook of the vessel were drowned. One was saved by the tug and brought here. The Scranton with the Delewanna in tow left New York on Monday loaded with 1500 tons anthracite coal for the Metropolitan Coal Company. At 8:30 o'clock last night the towing hawser suddenly snapped and Captain Pierce of the tug immediately put about to ascertain the cause. There was no sign of the barge, but clinging to the fragment of a broken boat, one of the crew was found and taken on board. From him it was learned that the barge had suddenly foundered, giving those on board scarcely any warning.

Revolutionary Spirit in Germany.

Berlin, Dec. 1.—The revolutionary events in Russia are reacting on Germany. The German socialists have decided to imitate the popular agitation in Russia in opposition to the government's proposals to increase taxation. The agitation is to take the form of public demonstrations and street processions. The socialist leaders intend to issue a manifesto urging German workmen to follow the example of the Russians, and to strive manfully for freedom. The government has resolved to sternly crush any subsersive movement. Interesting developments are anticipated.

Another Demonstration in London.

London, Dec. 1.—Another demonstration of the unemployed was made in the vicinity of Tower Hill this afternoon. Several violent speeches were made, and the people were urged to march through the streets, but this the police refused to permit them to do. A deputation was then named to go to the Guildhall and see the direct distress committee and demand that something be done to provide for fool for the needy. Although several hundred policemen were in attendance, only one arrest was made.

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New York Stock Market.

New York, Dec. 1.—The stock market was considered remarkably strong following the holiday and, except in a few issues, stocks were in scant supply and advanced easily on appearance of any usual buying. Most of the interest in the trading was in the industrial groups.

The Meriwether Court Martial.

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 1.—A final open session of the Meriwether court martial was held this morning. This was to have the record of yesterday's proceedings read and approved according to the red tape methods that attend court martials. Midshipman Meriwether and his counsel were present. Following the open session, the court was cleared and the conference on the conclusion was resumed. Members of the court think they will reach an agreemet today and the transcript of findings and record of testimony will be in the hand of the Judge Advocate General of the Navy by the first of the week.

One result of the trial has been the issuance to every midshipman of a copy of the naval regulations. These include a section prohibiting fighting, and while testimony was introduced showing that the regulations had been read to the midshipmen on the summer cruises, and had been posted on the ships, the middies were generally unacquainted with their provisions. Now a copy is lying on every study table and all hands are charged with knowledge of what a sailorman can do and cannot do.

Reported Compromise.

Paris, Dec. 1.—Your correspondent learns that a compromise between the Sultan of Turkey and the powers regarding the international control of the finances of Macedonia has been suggested. It is proposed that the powers name civil agents, or any other agreeable to the Sultan, in place of the financial controllers on condition that their functions shall be identical in all respects with those proposed by the powers for the projected financial controllers. Thus, the Sultan's dignity will be saved while the powers will obtain satisfaction.

Made $27,872.01.

Boston, Dec. 1.—Harvard's athletics for the academic year 1904-5 made $27,872.01, according to the report of the graduate manager just made public. The total receipts were $111,680.85, and the expenses $83,808.84, as compared with $112,262.35 receipts and $79,204.88 expenses for the year 1903-4. Football heads the list in debit column. It cost $17,424.98 to run this game, but it took in $68,657.10. Baseball was next, with $16,952.56 receipts and $11, 564.30 expenses. The crew had the largest deficit, running $6,793 in the hole.

Schooner Aground.

Chatham, Mass., Dec. 1.—The schooner Charles A. Sears, Captain Atwood, went aground on Chatham bar last night and probably will be a total loss. The captain and crew of four men were taken off safely by the life savers of the Chatham station. The schooner was loaded with lumber.

Proclamation by Young Turks.

Constantinople, Dec. 1.—The police have found here numerous copies of a proclamation signed by the Young Turks party urging all patriotic Turks to resist to the death the granting of control of Macedonian finances to Russia. The proclamation says that the powers are simply trying to steal Macedonia from Turkey, and that if the Sultan gives way he will prove himself unfaithful to his trust and must be deposed. The police have arrested a number of persons on suspicion of being connected with the issuance of the proclamation.

Conference Postponed.

Paris, Dec. 1.—The official announcement was made today that the conference plenipotentiaries of the powers regarding Morocco, which was to have been held this month at Algeciras, Spain, has been postponed to the beginning of January. The date has been changed at the request of the Sultan of Morocco, who stated that the Moroccan delegate to the conference would be unable to reach Algeciras by the date previously decided upon.

Engagement Announced.

Madrid, Dec. 1.—The formal announcement of the engagement of King Alfonso of Spain, and Princess Victoria Eugenia Julia Eva, daughter of the Dowager Princess Henry of Battenberg, and the youngest niece of King Edward of England, has been made.

Excommunicated.

A dispatch from Omaha says that Right Rev. Richard Scannell, bishop of the Nebraska diocese of the Catholic Church, has declared excommunicated ipso facto all members of the Catholic Church who participated in the wedding of Congressman Kennedy and and Miss Pritchett, on Monday last. There were a number of prominent Catholics present, including Mrs. Edward Cudahy, wife of the packing house magnate. Miss Mae Hamilton, whose individual fortune is rated over a million, was one of the bridesmaids.

Congressman Kennedy has a divorced wife living, and, for that reason, the bishop issued, last Sunday, a pastoral forbidding all Catholics to participate in the ceremony. The bishop yesterday declared excommunicated all members of his church who attended the wedding.

The ceremony was conducted by Dr E. H. Jenks, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, of which Congressman Kennedy is a prominent member. The bride of Congressman Kennedy, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Pritchett, prominent members of Omaha society, is a member of the Episcopal Church. None of the members of either Mr. Kennedy's family or of his bride's family is a Catholic. Mr. Kennedy's divorced wife is a Christian Scientist.

No Poison in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

From Napier, New Zealand, Herald: Two years ago the Pharmacy Board of New South Wales, Australia, had an analysis made of all the cough medicines that they declared were entirely free from all poisons. This exception was Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, made by the Chamberlain Medicine Company, Des Moines, Iowa, U. S. A. The absence of all narcotics makes this remedy the safest and best that can be had; and it is with a feeling of security that any mother can give it to her little ones. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is especially recommended by its makers for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. When taken in time it prevents pneumonia. This remedy is for sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING. DEC. 1, 1905.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 7:00 a. m. and sets at 4:38 p. m. High water at 11:30 a. m. and 12:06 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight, minimum temperature about 22°. Saturday fair, slowly rising temperature; light to fresh northeast to east winds.

Mrs. Smoot's Will.

The will of the late Mrs. Frances P. Smoot was offered for probate in the Corporation Court today, but notice of contest was filed by attorneys for Miss Ella Rose Smoot.

The deceased appointed her son-in-law, Rev. W. Strother Jones, trustee. Her jewelry she left to her children and grandchildren, and the jewelry not specially mentioned, together with her silverware, linen, household effects, &c., she left to J. S. Jones, Mary F. Smoot, Minnie C. S. Jones, Mary C. Burch and Ella Rose Smoot. To some of her grandchildren she made small monetary bequests and states that having made advances to J. S. Jones and Ella Rose Smoot, she leaves Minnie C. S. Jones, Mary Burch and Mary F. Smoot $500 each. The residue of her property she directs to be divided into five equal parts, one part each to J. S. Jones, Minnie C. S. Jones and Mary C. Burch. The other two-fifths are left to the trustee for the benefit of Mary F. Smoot and Ella Rose Smoot. A codicil to the will leaves to Minnie C. S. Jones, Mary C. Burch, J. S. Jones and Mary F. Smoot the interest of the deceased in her marble lands and water power on New River.

Disorder at the Opera House.

William Luster, a soldier, attempted to force his way into the Opera House last night without a ticket, and becoming disorderly was turned over to Officer Ferguson by Special Officer Ewald. Laster resisted the officer and drew a knife for the purpose of using it upon Mr. Ferguson, when the latter struck him with his baton. The soldier then submitted to arrest. He was arraigned before Justice Catou this morning and fined $10.

George Griffin was also arrested last night at the Opera House charged with disorderly conduct. He was taken in charge by Special Officer Ewald and later by Officer Ferguson. He was fined $2.50 in the Police Court this morning.

Attaches of the Opera House complain of the disorderly conduct of certain boys who climb on the fire escapes when exhibitions are given and jeer at employees when they order them down. An attempt will be made to procure the names of some of the offenders, when warrants will be issued for their arrest.

"Cha-wa-kai."

The "Cha-wa-ka" or Japanese tea, will have a matinee for the benefit of the children tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon from three to five o'clock. The decorations and other features of the grown-ups will be for the wee-folks as well. But in addition, the pumpkins from old mammy's garden will afford amusement for the great folks as well as small. The seeds of these pumpkins are unusual and seldom are such varieties to be seen now in old Virginia. Pumpkin seeds of this variety, we are told, were distributed among the various Indian tribes of Powhatan's country by the earliest settlers as far back as the time of doughty Capt. John Smith, and no doubt one such "pumpkin seed" brought the Princess Pocahontas to the English, who provided her with an English husband. Don't fail to get a "pumpkin seed."

Wedding.

A very quiet wedding was solemnized yesterday morning at Grace Church rectory when Miss Lorena Ticer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Ticer, of this city, and Mr. Claude W. Fletcher, formerly of Strasburg, but now with the Southern Railway, in Washington, were united in holy matrimony. Rev. Edgar Carpenter officiated. The bride was tastefully attired in a travelling suit of green with hat to match and was attended by Miss Katherine E. Tennessen. Mr. Edmund F. Ticer, brother of the bride, acted as best man. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher left for an extended southern trip to Jacksonville, St. Augustine and other points, and will be at home No. 218 Q street, northwest, Washington, after the 10th of December. They were the recipients of many beautiful and costly presents.

An Old Offender.

Georgianna Lewis, colored, was arrested yesterday by Officer Smith, at the instance of Mr. W. H. Peck, who charged her with stealing a piece of meat from his store in the northwestern portion of the city. Georgianna entered the store yesterday and seeing a piece of beef which she desired for a Thanksgiving dinner took possession of it and secreted the same under her coat. Her sleight-of-hand act was a failure, however, as it was observed by the proprietor, who followed her to the door and relieved her of the plunder. She was brought into the Police Court this morning and fined $10. Georgianna has been arrested on many other occasions for petit larceny.

Memorial Services.

The arrangements for the annual memorial services of Alexandria Lodge, No. 758, B. P. O. Elks, at the Opera House next Sunday night have been virtually completed. The services will begin at 8 o'clock. A suitable programme has been arranged for the occasion, and an interesting time is anticipated by all who proposes to attend.

Cold Weather.

The cold wave was in evidence last night. The keen northwest wind which prevailed yesterday subsided before midnight but the temperature continued to fall, and at 7 o'clock this morning the mercury in the thermometer was down to 22°. Considerable ice formed during the night. The temperature became milder during the day.

Chicken Thieves.

Thieves last night invaded the premises of Mr. Walter Newlon, on north Fairfax street, and took possession of several chickens. The noise made by the trespassers awoke Mr. Newlon and he started after them, when the thieves dropped the chickens and made their escape.

Personal.

Miss Pauline Nicol and Miss Mason Iden, of Manassas, and Miss Iden's brother, Mr. B. F. Iden, of the University, of Virginia, are visiting Miss Nannie Marye on Pitt street.

Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett entertained at luncheon on Wednesday Mrs. Kolvert and Miss Coxe, of Boston; Miss Gordon, of Ottawa, Canada, the Baron de Kattentack, of St. Petersburg, Russia, and Mr. Frank Gebest, the noted musician.

Miss Laura Danenhower last night very charmingly entertained the members of the Junior Card Club, at her home on King street.

A very delightful Thanksgiving party was given last night by Miss Mildred Foster at her home home on Prince street.

Superintendent Andrews of the Southern railway, who has been transferred to the Danville division, was last night presented with a handsome gold watch, chain and locket, by the employes of the various departments of the service. The presentation speech was made by Assistant Superintendent J. A. White, and was responded to by Mr. Andrews.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Arthur Johnson, colored, arrested by Officers Beach and Henderson charged with indecent conduct on electric cars, was fined $5.

Georgianna Lewis, colored, arrested by Officer Smith charged with stealing meat from W. H. Peck, was fined $10.

Harry Brown, arrested by Officer Ferguson charged with assaulting his wife, had his case continued.

Wm. Luster, arrested by Officer Ferguson charged with drunken and disorderly conduct and attempted assault upon the officer, was fined $10.

Benj. Scrivener, arrest by Officer Roberts charged with disorderly conduct, was fined $5.

George Griffin, arrested by Officer Ferguson charged with disorderly conduct, at the Opera House was fined $2.50.

Mildred & Rouclere Co.

The Mildred & Rouclere Company gave two entertainments at the Opera House yesterday, a matinee in the afternoon and a performance at night, large audiences greeting them each time. The show was undoubtedly the best of its kind that has visited this city, and was decidely interesting. Rouclere gave a series of manipulations that kept the audience guessing from the start, while the telepathic seance of Mildred was unexplainable. These two entertainers were alone worth the price of admission. Bell and Richards knew how to handle instruments; Whitman and Davis, in singing travesty, were excellent, and Bert London, impersonator of great actors, was exceedingly good and heartily applauded. "The flight of Princess Iris," the last number on the programme, will keep the audience guessing for many days to come as to the manner in which it was done.

Col. Chapman.

Col. William Chapman was in Warrent a few days this week. There is a man mild of speech, gentle of action to whom no act of daring was impossible and no peril could discompose. His soft speech and gentle manner would have given an effeminite cast to his character, but for the opportunities that the war gave to dispel any such illusion. Second in command of Mosby's Men, he made for himself a place in the temple of fame, not built with hands that will furnish a theme to generation after generation who after his little day in the hills and valleys of Fauquier will be forgotten.—[Warrenton Virginian.

Corporation Court.

[Judge L. C. Barley presiding.]

Geo. E. Warfield qualified as a notary public.

J. A. Henderson vs. Annie S. Henderson; decree referring cause to H. O'B. Cooper, special commissioner, for report.

The will of the late Mrs. Frances P. Smoot was offered for probate, but notice of contest was served.

Improvements.

The triangular space of ground between the path leading from the electric railway station at Spring Park to King street is being filled up and the stagnant pool of water eliminated. The plank road from the viaduct over King street to the electric station is being placed on a level. The previous structure was of a temporary nature.

A Seasonable Dish.

Mr. C. H. Zimmerman at his hotel in Market alley is still preparing fried oysters according to the true Alexandria formula, and his patrons increase as the seasons come and go. His private dining room is the resort of many who desire to enjoy quiet oyster suppers which are spread in the most inviting manner.

A Correction.

To the Editor of the Alexandria Gazette.

In the Gazette's account of the City Council proceedings of last Tuesday night I am reported as representing the Potomac Electric Power Co., of Washington, in our bid for the electric franchise. Will you kindly state this company is in no way whatever interested in our bid except so far as an agreement between us as to the delivery of current.

Respectfully,
D. J. HOWELL.
Alexandria, Va., Nov. 30, 1905.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The first dance of the season by the Alexandria German Club will be given tonight.

During the past month the clerk of the court recorded 39 deeds and issued 46 marriage licenses—30 to white and 16 to colored persons.

The northwest wind of yesterday caused low tides in the river and exposed the flats and the bars on the opposite side of the channel.

Mr. R. E. Knight has given to his brother, Mr. J. D. Knight, a contract for rebuilding his store on King street near Washington, the cost of which will be about $5,000.

The dance given last night at McBurney's Hall by the Thursday Night Assembly was a very pleasant affair and was largely attended, many young people from Washington being present.

Mr. George L. Young will have at his stand in market tomorrow fine apples and country produce from his Middle Run farm, Fairfax county.

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oysters fried stew or raw. Free lunch—hot sausage, C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The officers of the Commercial Cable Company, in New York, this morning received the following bulletin: "We are advised that delivery of messages at St. Petersburg has been again stopped and communication with Finland interrupted."

Bartholomew Ochenacy died yesterday afternoon at four o'clock in Saint Joseph's hospital, at Reading, Pa., suffering with general debility and the effects of old age, aged 97 years. He was admitted to the above named institution from Pottsville about a month ago.

Turkey and the Powers.

While in officials circles in London it is admitted that the powers do not expect the Sultan to yield as the result of the occupation of Mytilene, it was stated yesterday that plans for the next step had not been ultimately arranged, the powers awaiting the British proposals. It is said at the foreign office that the British government does not know exactly the extent of the coercion which the other powers are willing to employ, but it is certain that none of the powers is willing to resort to actual warfare in order to enforce the demands for the financial control of Macedonia. The view of the situation makes it quite possible that demonstration by occupation may proceed somewhat indefinitely. The present political situation in the United Kingdom naturally increases the reticence in official circles in London and as Great Britain is taking the lead, movements of the demonstrating fleet may be delayed for sometime pending the decision of the cabinet concerning its resignation or the dissolution of Parliament.

The government has received information from Sofia through official sources that the Macedonian committee has issued what is practically an ultimatum that unless the demonstration of the powers shall be carried to a successful issue the revolutionaries are prepared to announce that they intend to create a situation which will be certain to result in a war between Turkey and Bulgaria.

It is well known that Bulgaria has been preparing for eventualities since the revolution of 1903. An accord having been reached between Bulgaria and Roumania concerning Macedonia, these two governments are now prepared to try conclusions with Turkey should the necessity for such action arise.

A dispatch from Constantinople says it is rumored that Italy contemplates the withdrawal of her warships from the international fleet that is now engaged in coercive measures against Turkey. A prominent diplomat says that everybody is greatly surprised at the Sultan's extraordinary tenacity. He seems confident of a split among the powers.

The Venezuelans and the Dutch.

The acute situation between France and Venezuela has for sometime past distracted attention from the quarrels which the Venezuelan government already had no hand with her neighbors. Some diplomats in Washington familiar with the conditions in that part of South America feel that in the near future other trouble may be expected and that some day the trouble between the Netherlands and Venezuela may be renewed, possibly leading to an outbreak between the two countries. The chief complaint of the Netherlands government is the way in which the Venezuelan customhouse officers exercise their right to seach. It is alleged that many times, without due cause, the customs officers bring Dutch ships to their ports and keep the crew practically prisoners. The Venezuelan government on its side has made several complaints about the smuggling trade which is kept on from Curacao into the harbors of Venezuela, and which consists chiefly of firearms. For the last 30 years there has been a law in Curacao, forbidding the exportation of firearms, but the large colony of Venezuelan political exiles, who come to the island to be near their old home and still be free to make new plots against President Castro, make it extremely difficult for the Duch authorities to enforce that law. From both sides protests have been made, but it is charged the Venezuelan government has followed the same course as in most of its diplomatic enterprises, and the Dutch demands have never been fully answered. The Dutch newspapers have begun to insist upon more vigorous action by their government, and it is felt that after the French matter has been settled this will probably be the next trouble in the Caribbean Sea.

Letter from Panama.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Panama, Nov 14.—I have been on the isthmus three months today, never enjoyed better health have never been sick a day. Panama is not so bad as some have painted it. The government is doing a mighty work against the fever and in the course of time things will be clean, and no expense is spared in its efforts to make the men comfortable. Col. W. C. Gorgas, the physician who cleaned up Havana, is in charge. Thousands of dollars are being spent in fumigation and disinfection, and gradually the diseases are being cut down. Malarial fever is no worse than in our country and in the end yellow fever will be practically disposed of, it is believed. There have been only three cases of yellow fever on the isthmus since October 1 to date. Panama is a beautiful little city of 25,000 inhabitants with a delightful climate and nearly the whole isthmus is hilly and mountainous. While we here are wearing straw hats, duck pants, going around in our shirt-sleeves, bathing in Panama Bay, I suppose the Alexandrian's are having fires to sit by. I am delighted with Panama and the surrounding country have a fine position although I am on the go all the time. I spend about six days out of the month between here and Colon paying off. There are several Alexandria boys here.

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Saved by Dynamite.

Sometimes, a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and La Grippe. At E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store, price 50c and $1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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Is one of the most attractive corners of the Toy Shop, and its shelves are bountifully stocked with every nationality and imaginable variety of doll—German, French, Indian, Japanese, Chinese, Eskimo, Celluloid, Rag, Topsy-Turvy, Paper, Rubber, Stockinette, Jointed Kid Body, and others. Every conceivable doll that can be fashioned may be selected from this huge assortment, and complete wardrobes, with all the latest styles in hats, wraps, furs, and dresses, as well as toilette accessories, may be chosen for the dolls. Our prices for dolls range from 25c to $25.00

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FRIDAY EVENING, DEC. 1, 1905.

The Perfect Pun.

A perfect pun makes good sense both ways; the edges meet with a click like the blades of a sharp pair of shears. Sometimes the very thoughts fit tight together in antagonistic identity, as when the man said of the temperance exhorter that he would be a good fellow if he would only let drink alone, or when Disraeli (if it was he) wrote to the youth who had sent him a first novel: "I thank you very much. I shall lose no time in reading it;" or as when a man, seeing a poor piece of carpentry, said, "That chicken coop looks as if some man had made it himself." Exquisite perverse literalness of thought! And the same absolute punning, the very self destruction of a proposition, was the old death thrust at a poor poet by the friend who said, "His poetry will be read when Shakespeare and Homer are forgotten." It was a fine double edged blade of speech until some crude fellow, Heine, I think, sharpened it to a wire edge by adding, "and not till then," a banality that dulled its perfection forever.—J. A. Macy in Atlantic.

Remarkable Lunar Rainbow.

I recall many lunar rainbows during the half century since I was an observant boy and, if memory serves me, one double lunar rainbow. But the most perfect of these bows that I recall I saw on the edge of Darlington, S. C. I was in a road leading north, with extensive fields east and west; hence my opportunity. The full moon had just risen above the tops of the distant woods, and the bow in the west was perfect. The span of the bow was materially less than the span of a sun rainbow, but its depth, or thickness, was proportionately much greater. The rainbow colors were distinct, but pale, as if the arch were built of pale mother-of-pearl, and they changed and faded less rapidly than the sun rainbows I have seen.

When in camp on John's island, South Carolina, I saw a brilliant sun rainbow with one foot of the arch so near we could stand on it or pass behind and in front of it, but we did not "dig for gold."—Macon Cor. Scientific American.

Nelson's Famous Signal.

It is a fact that Nelson's famous signal to the fleet at Trafalgar was in its original form, "England 'confides' (not 'expects') that every man will do his duty." This is the story as given by Captain Pasco, Nelson's flag lieutenant on the Victory: "His lordship came to me on the poop, and after ordering certain signals to be made about a quarter to noon he said, 'Mr. Pasco, I wish to say to the fleet, "England confides that every man will do his duty."' And he added, 'You must be quick, for I have one more to make, which is for close action.' I replied, 'If your lordship will permit me to substitute "expects" for "confides," the signal will soon be completed, because the word "expects" is in the vocabulary, whereas "confides" must be spelled.' His lordship replied in haste and with seeming satisfaction, 'That will do, Pasco; make it directly.'" And the famous signal was made.—London Chronicle.

There Was a Limit.

An Irishman one day went into the shop of a barber to get shaved. After being properly seated and the lather about half applied the barber was called to an adjoining room, where he was detained for some time. The barber had in the shop as a pet a monkey, which was continually imitating its master. As soon as the latter left the room the monkey grabbed the brush and proceeded to finish lathering the Irishman's face. After doing this he took a razor from its case and stropped it and then turned to the Irishman to shave him.

"Shtop that!" said Pat. "Ye can tuck the towel in me neck and put the soap on me face, but, begorrah, yer father's got to shave me!"

Was Willing to Go to Sea.

At the time when William E. Chandler of New Hampshire was secretary of the navy Admiral Meade was commandant of the navy yard in Washington. They got into trouble somehow, these two positive gentlemen, and the commandant was summoned before the secretary one day on a matter of importance. The secretary told the commandant that if he kept on, or words to that effect, he should certainly be obliged to punish him by sending him to sea. "Mr. Secretary," said Meade, "I haven't anything to say except that when it is punishment for an officer of the navy to be ordered to sea, what is your service coming to? I should like to go to sea, sir. Good day."

London.

London is a shop and a bank, a gambling hell and a cathedral. Its streets are paved with gold and set with thorns. It is the place for a rich man and the place for a poor man. It is all wealth and happiness. It is all poverty and distress. It is a huge paradox. Many things are possible in London that are also impossible. If it so please you and you possess the ability to do so you may live not merely a double life, but half a dozen different lives, which will never clash with one another. You may be in London at the same time a priest and a pirate. It is big enough for both of you.—J. H. M. Abbott in Spectator.

Hats on In Church.

Pepys shows that in the seventeenth century both men and women wore their hats to worship. "To church," he writes, "and heard a simple fellow open the praise of church musique and exclaiming against men wearing their hats on in the church." Later he notes that he saw a minister "preach with his hat off, which I never saw before." The hat was then an integral part of both male and female costume, and Pepys catches "a strange cold in my head by flinging off my hat at dinner."

A Cold Storage Romance.

He—Had an odd experience the other day. One morning my breakfast boiled egg had an inscription on it. It said, "The finder may write to me," signed "Mary Smith." She—What reply did you get? He—The postmaster replied. He said that Miss Smith died of old age several years ago.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Says Animals Have Souls.

Prof. George H. Howison, head of the department of philosophy at the University of California, startled his class in ethics at Berkeley yesterday by declaring that animals have reflected capacity which qualifies them to be classed as reasoning beings, with intelligence corresponding to man's the latter being assumed to be immortal.

The relion of Buddha was cited by Professor Howison as an example of recognition given by a great religious teacher to the lower animals, "a recognition," he said, 'nowhere granted by Jesus Christ."

"Although Buddha had no such conception of the immortality of the soul and the dignity of the individual and the individual life as did Jesus Christ, Christ in this respect grandly transcended the religious teacher of India."

Regarding the intelligence of animals, Professor Howison said:

"Animals have intellect as do men. The difference in intellect consists in the difference in the hindrance to the intellectual faculty. Increased intelligence means increased control, perfected control. Do animals reflect as man does? Undoubtedly they do. If they reflect, then they have intelligence. Once it is admitted that they have intelligence, then you must admit that they are to exist eternally. Are animals capable of overcoming the hindrance to their intellectual faculty? I answer, yes."

Terrific Race With Death.

"Death was fast approaching," writes Ralph F. Fernandez, of Tampa, Fla., describing his fearful race with death, "as a result of liver trouble and heart disease, which had robbed me of sleep and of all interest in life. I had tried many different doctors and several medicines, but got no benefit, until I began to use Electric Bitters. So wonderful was their effect, that in three days I felt like a new man, and today I am cured of all my troubles." Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store; price 50c.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Important Changes in Schedule at Alexandria and in Train Numbers, Washington-Southern Railway, Effective Sunday, November 26th.

Train 82 (now No. 32) will stop only to discharge passengers.

Train 84 (now No. 34) will leave 9:51 a. m. daily.

Train 14 (now No. 406) will leave 2.53 p. m., except Sunday.

Train 22 (now No. 404) will leave 7:07 p. m. daily.

Train 66 will leave 8:18 p. m. daily.

Train 80 (now No. 40) will leave 11:33 p. m. daily.

Following is a list of trains at present and the numbers as they will be known commencing November 26th:

Old Number.		New Number.
	Northward.	
32	A. C. L. Florida and West Indian Ltd.	82
400	Quantico and Washington accommo'n.	2
34	Seaboard Express.	84
402	From Richmond and local stations.	10
406	From Richmond and principal stations	14
404	Quantico and Washington accommo'n.	22
66	Seaboard Mail.	66
40	A. C. L. Express.	80
	Southward.	
39	A. C. L. Express.	89
409	For Richmond and local stations.	9
407	Washington and Quantico accommo'n.	11
43	Seaboard Mail.	43
35	A. C. L. Florida and West Indian Ltd.	85
401	Washington and Quantico accommo'n.	19
403	For Richmond and local stations.	23
31	Seaboard Express.	81
405	Washington and Quantico accommo'n.	27

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Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7 10 and 10 20 a. m., and 2 00, 8 23 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 2 30 and 4 30 p. m.

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Manassas Division mails close at 7 15 a. m. and 4 00 p. m. Open at 12 00 m.

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MEETINGS.

A SPECIAL MEETING of the stockholders of the SEMMES-KELLEY COMPANY will be held at the principal office of the company, 111 south Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on FRIDAY, December 15, 1905, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers and directors and the transaction of any other business that may be presented to the stockholders.

EDWARD J. KELLEY, Secretary.

no10 30t

THE ANNUAL ELECTION OF DIRECTORS for the ensuing year by the stockholders of THE STANDARD BRICK COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, room 2, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria Va., MONDAY, December 11, 1905. Polls open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock p. m., in pursuance of bylaws of said company.

By order of the President.

T. L. HOLBROOK.

Attest: HENRY P. WEST, Secretary.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON FERTILIZER CO., for the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year and for such other business as may come up, will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., at 11 o'clock a. m., on WEDNESDAY, December 13th, 1905.

JOHN F. WILKINS, President.
LOUIS BEYER, JR., Secretary.

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PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the City Engineer and Committee on Streets until 12 o'clock m., MONDAY, December 4, 1905, stating the charge per hour between the hours of 5 a. m. and 11 p. m. for two horses and a driver to operate a Street Sprinkler and Sweeper, which will be furnished by the city, and to remove sweepings from the vitrified brick pavements; also stating charge per hour when used on streets paved with cobblestones. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

E. S. LEADBEATER,
Chairman Committee on Streets.

no22 td

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S Department, Washington, D. C., November 22, 1905.—Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 2 o'clock, p. m., Wednesday, December 6, 1905, for grading and resurfacing the road between Fort Myer Drill Ground and the Arlington National Cemetery, Virginia. Specifications and information can be obtained on application to this office. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Grading and Resurfacing Road," and addressed to Captain A. W. BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of Depot.

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GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S Department, Washington, D. C., November 20th, 1905.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock, p. m., Monday, December 4th, 1905, for constructing a wire fence at Signal Corps Post, Fort Myer, Va. Plans and specifications can be seen and information obtained on application to this office. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Constructing Wire Fence," and addressed to Captain A. W. BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of Depot.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 22nd day of November, 1905.

Fred. L. Wagar vs. Anna Thomas Marbury, Eliza Hunter Marbury, Alice V. Browning, Francis F. Marbury, Mary Marbury Taylor, William H. Marbury and Leonard Marbury, the two last named being infants under fourteen years, of Leonard Marbury, deceased. In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the specific performance of a certain contract dated May 6th, 1905, entered into by the defendants, Anna Thomas Marbury, Eliza Hunter Marbury, Alice V. Browning, Francis F. Marbury and Mary Marbury Taylor, with the complainant, for the sale of all that certain lot or parcel of ground with the improvements thereon and appurtenances thereto belonging, situated in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the north side of Prince street, between Royal and Pitt streets, and designated and numbered 413 and 415 Prince street.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, Alice V. Browning, William H. Marbury and Leonard Marbury, are none-residents of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste:

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY D. C.
John M. Johnson and J. R. and H. B. Caton p. q.

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VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 17th day of November, 1905.

Minnie Payne vs. Wilber Payne } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for an absolute divorce upon the grounds of desertion.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Wilber Payne, is a non resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—TESTE:

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
Samuel G. Brent, p. q.

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VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 24th day of November, 1905.

John Henry Robinson vs. Louisa Mallery Robinson } in Chancery

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree absolutely divorcing the complainant, John Henry Robinson, from the defendant, Louisa Mallery Robinson.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Louisa Mallery Robinson, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste:

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk,
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
David Rothschild p. q.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as the executor of the will of the late DONALD McLEAN, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said decedent to come forward and settle, and persons having claims against his estate will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

LEWIS H. MACHEN, Executor.

no18 10t

HAVING QUALIFIED AS ADMINISTRATOR of the estate of ANNIE F. CHARLES, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me, duly verified, for payment. All persons indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement at once.

HARRY F. CHARLES,
Administrator of the estate of Annie F. Charles. no21 10t*

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as the administrator of the estate of HATTIE V. CREIGHTON, I hereby give notice that all persons having claims against the estate can present the same to me for payment and all persons indebted to the estate please settle the same.

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